

--13. A code division multiple access mobile communication system in which, when a mobile terminal moves from one base station to another base station area, use is made of a long code masked symbol to detect a spread code and frame/slot timing employed for said another base station area, a section of said long code masked symbol including a repetition of short codes prepared corresponding to classification of a long code.

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--14. A mobile communication system according to claim 13, wherein said section of said long code masked symbol further includes a common short code (CSC), and spreading factors of said CSC and of said short codes prepared corresponding to said classification are smaller than a spreading factor of other symbols on a perch channel.

--15. A base station used in a code division multiple access mobile communication system, the base station comprising:
means for transmitting a control signal spread by a long code and a short code in a data symbol section of one slot of a perch channel; and

means for transmitting a repetition of short codes, prepared corresponding to classification of a long code, in a long code masked symbol section of said one slot.

--16. A base station according to claim 15, wherein said long code masked symbol section further includes a common short code (CSC), and spreading factors of said CSC and of said short codes prepared corresponding to said classification are smaller than a spreading factor of other symbols on a perch channel.

--17. A base station according to claim 15, wherein transmission power with which the transmission of said repetition of short codes is performed is equal to one-(n-th) transmission power with which the transmission of said control signal is performed, n representing a number of times of said repetition of short codes.

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--18. A base station according to claim 16, wherein transmission power with which the transmission of said repetition of short codes is performed is equal to one-(n-th) transmission power with which the transmission of said control signal is performed, n representing a number of times of said repetition of short codes.

--19. A base station used in a code division multiple access mobile communication system, the base station comprising:
means for transmitting a control signal spread by a long code and a short code in a data symbol section of one slot of a perch channel; and

means for transmitting a common short code (CSC) and a group identification short code (GISC) with different timing in different ones of a plurality of sections into which a long code masked symbol section of said one slot is divided.

--20. A base station according to claim 19, wherein a long code identification group is classified by the timing with which said GISC is transmitted in said sections into which the long code masked symbol section of said one slot is divided."